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The Honorable William E. Minshall House of Representatives Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Bill:

Jack has told me of your session Thursday with our Senior Seminar and of the extremely favorable comments afterwards. Obviously, it was a great success and we particularly appreciate your fitting it into your busy schedule.

Certainly from the standpoint of the Agency, and I think from the standpoint of our oversight Subcommittees, it is extremely important in these days that our senior officers have a clear understanding of our responsibilities to the Congress, and some of the political realities affecting our mission. Your no-holds-barred discussion with these officers has been tremendously helpful in this respect. Many thanks, and I look forward to seeing you soon.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

Richard Helms Director